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Junior Practitioners Offer Insights on Recent Trends in Bankruptcy Jurisprudence at the Supreme Court, Courts of Appeal, and Western District of Pennsylvania

Join us for a free one-hour CLE jointly hosted by the IWIRC Western Pennsylvania Network and the Bankruptcy & Commercial Law Section of the Allegheny County Bar Association

DATE AND TIME: Tuesday, April 30, 2024, at 4:30 p.m.

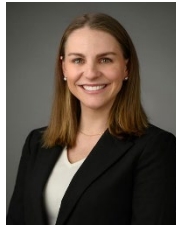
LOCATION: Reed Smith LLP
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Light beverages and refreshments will be served.

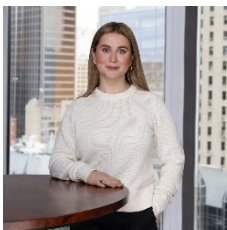
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Hon. John C. Melaragno
U.S. Bankruptcy Judge



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Speaker:
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Program Overview

Moderated by the Western District of Pennsylvania's newest U.S. bankruptcy judge, the **Hon. John C. Melaragno**, a panel of law clerks and junior attorneys will survey recent bankruptcy caselaw from the Supreme Court, U.S. Courts of Appeals, and the Western District of Pennsylvania.

The panel will examine how the Supreme Court's recent cases involving the Bankruptcy Code used text-focused analyses and how the inferior courts are following the Supreme Court's lead.

After discussing how many courts are returning to the text, the panelists will pivot to opinions and orders from the U.S. Bankruptcy Court in the Western District of Pennsylvania focusing on attorney behavior and best practices and discuss practice errors they hope to avoid.